

# LA weekly eRed Bag mailing

## Week beginning 9 October 2017

This email is an official communication to schools from the North Yorkshire Children and Young People's Service.

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### For Action

**No items this week.**

### Information, updates and guidance

#### Schools Liaison Group (JDP primary Heads) update

##### **Audience: all Primary schools**

Formerly Joint Development Planning for Primary Heads, JDP is now known as Schools Liaison Group. Information about this group can be found at the [CYPS website here](#).

The most current update of news and information for the Schools Liaison Group can be found [here](#).

##### **Cascade to:**

All Primary Heads

##### **Action required by:**

Not applicable

#### Chief Executive's key messages

##### **Audience: all schools**

The latest edition of the Chief Executive's key message for staff can be found at <http://cyps.northyorks.gov.uk/chief-executives-key-messages>

##### **Cascade to:**

All school staff

**Contact: See messages for individual contact details**

## Events and publicity

<p><b>Curriculum Enrichment activities from the Energy and sustainability team.</b>  <u>Energy and environment days, Rainforest days, Waste and worms, Japan activities.</u></p>	
<p><b>Audience: all schools</b></p> <p>Your schools carbon reduction officers are always available to support schools in running environmentally based activities and events in schools. The Energy and Environment days are all part of the total service that the school has already paid for.</p> <p>“Power Down Pete” the energy saving super hero regularly flies into schools to deliver his planet saving message through assemblies and workshops.</p> <p>This year we are also running waste activities including the massively popular “Mini Wormeries”. This delivers elements of the science curriculum around living organisms and habitats.</p>	<p><b>Cascade to:</b></p> <p>All school staff – in particular PSCHE / sustainability coordinators, school council team.</p> <p>Please put a copy of the <a href="#">PDF</a> on your staff notice board.</p>
<p><b>Contact:</b> <a href="mailto:Peter.Bell@northyorks.gov.uk">Peter.Bell@northyorks.gov.uk</a>      <a href="http://cyps.northyorks.gov.uk/energyservice">http://cyps.northyorks.gov.uk/energyservice</a></p>	
<p><b>Tuesday 17th October: National Apple Day – free trip to Great Yorkshire Showground</b></p>	
<p><b>Audience: all schools</b></p> <p>Bring your class to the Great Yorkshire Showground, Harrogate for a FREE interactive session to learn all about amazing apples! Take a tour of our Orchard to discover how our UK varieties grow, then use the fruit to taste, make juice and create tasty apple treats to take back to school.</p> <p>Groups can take part in either a morning or an afternoon session.  <a href="#">Places must be pre-booked here.</a></p> <p>To take part in this FREE event, please get in touch with Kate Kirby at the Yorkshire Agricultural Places are limited to a maximum of 30 pupils per school.</p>	<p><b>Cascade to:</b></p> <p>Head teachers, teaching staff, trip coordinators, PSCHE staff</p>
<p><b>Contact:</b> <a href="mailto:katekirby@yas.co.uk">katekirby@yas.co.uk</a>      01423 546283.</p>	
<p><b>Monday 13th November -Inspiring English and Maths with Seasonal Food – Christmas themed</b></p>	
<p><b>Audience: all Primary school teaching staff</b></p> <p>Free Course for Primary School staff at the Great Yorkshire Showground, Harrogate Inspiring English and Maths with Seasonal Food – Christmas themed. This course will use seasonal food to inspire learning inside and outside the classroom. We will get hands-on preparing dishes, tasting produce all the while exploring how these activities can deliver and enhance your Maths and English teaching.</p> <p>To book this FREE course please email or call Kate Kirby at the Yorkshire Agricultural Society or <a href="#">click here</a></p>	<p><b>Cascade to:</b></p> <p>Primary Head teachers, teaching staff,</p>
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<b>Grant Applications – Yorkshire Agricultural Society</b>							
<p><b>Audience: all schools</b></p> <p>For projects including taking pupils on farm visits and developing school grounds for wildlife and growing. Under £500 applications will have a quick decision but over £500 needs approval by the committee (application deadline dates below)</p>							
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**Cascade to:**

Head teachers,  
teaching staff,  
trip coordinators,  
PSCHE staff,  
Heads of Year

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